

# BRITISH SEEK PLANT TO AVERT COTTON SLUMP

Government Desires to Buy  
Export Supply, but Keep  
Price Up.

## LONDON PAPER SEES SELFISHNESS HERE

WASHINGTON, July 22.—It became known here today that the British Government is earnestly considering the question with which it will be confronted in the present cotton season advances to the gathering and marketing of the American crop.

Efforts of the British authorities are directed toward working out some plan by which the unfortunate developments of last year, when the price fell to levels that could not be maintained, can be avoided. It is desired to have some plan by which the American grower may be assured of not only getting a fair price for his cotton but also getting a fair price for it.

No definite steps have been decided yet, but it is likely that some move will be made in this direction within the next few weeks. The question is under consideration not only in London but at the British Embassy here, which, for reasons of its familiarity with the situation, is regarded as the American cotton crop and cotton export industry and its association with the financial interests and the State Department, is able to supply valuable cooperation toward the end in view.

The British authorities are understood to be convinced that with proper methods even the large crop now expected for this year can be absorbed. While it is admitted that the conditions are not normal by any means, the feeling in London is that, if the cotton crop and cotton export industry are given a willingness to proceed slowly in the disposal of the incoming crop it will be possible to maintain the price at a level which will be sufficient to enable the grower to produce without a collapse of the price.

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# "PEACE" CRY WOMEN TO AGED RULER

Throng of Widows of Austrian Soldiers Makes Remarkable Demonstration in Vienna Park as Emperor Passes in Daily Drive to the Hofburg.

### Special Correspondence to The Sun.

LONDON, July 22.—The Standard prints a despatch from its correspondent in Zurich describing the recent peace demonstration in Vienna by women in front of the Emperor's palace. The despatch is in full follows:

Neutral travelers from Vienna, on whose reliability no doubt can be cast, relate the details of a very remarkable peace demonstration which was held in the Austrian capital on Sunday, June 27, in the early hours of the afternoon. The Emperor Francis Joseph, known as the Emperor, was in residence at the Hofburg, the palace of the Emperor, situated on the outskirts of Vienna, but it is his habit to drive in a carriage and pair through the fashionable Regence to his apartments in the Hofburg.

Here he transacts state business with his ministers and military advisers and returns to the Hofburg by the same route late in the afternoon. So many people see the Emperor coming that the working class of the city, who are not normally in the habit of going to the Hofburg, are attracted to the palace and surround it. The Emperor's carriage is always in his apartments overlooking the inner courtyard of the Hofburg. The Emperor's carriage is always in his apartments overlooking the inner courtyard of the Hofburg.

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All Turkish Attacks Fail in Dardanelles, Commander Declares.

### AIRCRAFT GUN SMASHED

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun. LONDON, July 22.—Sir Ian Hamilton, commanding the allied land forces on the Gallipoli Peninsula in the Dardanelles, in a report published to-night by the official Press Bureau, gives the following account of recent operations:

**Northern Section Operations.** A raiding party rushed a trench in front of our line on Sunday night and all the enemy fled except one, who was killed. An anti-aircraft gun was located and hit with the second round from one of our guns. The fifth round blew it into the air.

### In the Southern Area.

The Turks on Sunday attacked some newly captured trenches in the French section and were repulsed with ease. In the British section there has been continued progress daily, although the work has been merely consolidating in some cases. We have been extending the trenches won on the 12th and 13th on Wednesday a small redoubt was captured with insignificant loss.

### BRITISH WON IN EAST.

India Office Says Turks Lost Enphrates Positions.

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# WARSAW AND ITS OUTLYING DEFENCES

The German official war report yesterday said that the second class fortress of Ivangorod, at the junction of the Wieprz and the Vistula rivers, was closely invested by the Austro-Germans. This seems to indicate that the railway from Warsaw to the southeast has been cut. Northwest of the Polish capital the big guns of Novo Georgievsk are already in action, while the German lines are closer to Warsaw than they have ever been before.

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